



NUSTAR Week 2023

IFIN-HH/ELI-NP, Romania
October 10-13

Second Circular

Dear Colleagues,

The NUSTAR Week 2023 will be hosted by the “Horia Hulubei” National Institute for Physics and Nuclear Engineering (IFIN-HH) in Bucharest, Romania. The conference will take place at Training and Conference Center of IFIN-HH in the Magurele campus.

The NUSTAR week 2023 will be the first post-COVID in person edition thus we hope to have an intense week of discussions and collaboration meetings. There will be special emphasis on Romanian contributions to NUSTAR and related science as well as contributions to the construction of the FAIR facility.

With this circular we want to encourage your participation in the meeting so please note the dates in your calendar. We also wanted to provide you with some practical information that you might find useful in planning your trip.

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Magurele!

PROGRAM AND SCHEDULE

A preliminary program can be found on the Indico page:

<https://indico.gsi.de/event/17466/>

The program will start Tuesday, October 10, afternoon and conclude on Friday, October 13, at noon. The first day is reserved for the TB and CC meetings. The final two and a half days are reserved for plenary sessions. Further details will

be provided at a later time. A visit of the ELI-NP experimental building is scheduled for Thursday, October 12, after the last session.



We are planning a dinner reception on Wednesday, October 11, and the conference dinner will be on Thursday, October 12, at the "Hanul lui Manuc" restaurant in downtown Bucharest, indicated as "dinner" on the map.

LOCATION

The meeting will take place at the IFIN-HH Training and Conference Center, which will host both the plenary sessions and the parallel sub-collaboration meetings. It is located in the Magurele campus of IFIN-HH, on the outskirts of Bucharest, at about 13 Km from the city center (around 30 minutes by car, depending on traffic).



TRAVEL

In order to reach the city center from Bucharest "Henri Coanda" Airport, you can either order a taxi, take a train or take a bus.

To order a taxi use the yellow machines in the arrival lobby. Take the order ticket with you outside, in front of the terminal, and wait for the taxi with the number on it.

The train station is immediately outside the terminal and a trip to the Bucharest main railway station (Gara de Nord) costs 5 RON (1€) and takes about 25 minutes. The trains are pendling between the airport and the railway station, with a few stops in between. Many transportation means are available there, the fastest and easiest being the subway, which is to your left as you enter the station.

ACCOMMODATION

Bus transfer between Bucharest city center and IFIN-HH will be organized daily during the conference. The location of the pick up / drop off point is indicated on the map above with the red star "transport". The closest subway station "IZVOR" is shown with an arrow, on the opposite corner of the Izvor Park relative to the transportation point.

Participants are requested to make their own arrangements for accommodation.

The two hotels closest to the pick up / drop off point, shown with red boxes, are:

- Hotel Parliament: <http://www.parliamenthotelbucharest.com>

- Hotel Continental Forum: <https://continental-forum-bucuresti.continentalhotels.ro>

However, that area of the city has many hotels and other accommodation options, for example in the old town across the Dambovită river.

PARTICIPATION FEE

The participation fee of 150€ covers the lunches on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, the workshop dinner on Thursday evening, and the coffee breaks. It can be paid either in cash on site, or via bank transfer (see web site).

CONFERENCE WEB SITE

<https://indico.gsi.de/event/17466/>